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Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

- 1. Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312; and
- 2. 5 sheets of Formal Drawings (Figures 1-5).

The above-listed documents are filed electronically through EFS-Web.

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